

# Christmas movies, mince



**HAPPY HANDSHAKES:** Theresa May MP greets diners. Ref:127320-78



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**GREETING GUESTS:** Mrs May meets diners. Ref:127320-76



**ALL SMILES:** Theresa May poses for photos with volunteer Nicola Allen. Ref:127320-110



**VISITING:** Philip May, Monika Harris, Theresa May and Father Jeremy Harris. Ref:127320-94

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**IN FULL SWING:** The party was packed out. Ref:127320-95



**FESTIVE SPIRIT:** Steve Walsh and Mina Jobanputra with the Prime Minister. Ref:127320-108



**CRACKING TIME:** Helper Tameena Hussain with two diners. Ref:127320-9



# pies and... the Prime Minister

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CHRISTMAS CRACKER: Theresa May with 85-year-old Val Brand. Ref:127320-113

## Maidenhead: Theresa May joins festive lunch for 19th time

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ELDERLY people who faced being alone on Christmas Day in the Prime Minister's constituency enjoyed a visit from Theresa May.

She has attended the Maidenhead Christians Christmas Lunch, which allows those away from their families to socialise and enjoy a proper dinner, every year since she was elected as MP in 1997.

About 75 people who faced being alone attended the event, organised by community group Churches Together in Maidenhead and held at SportsAble in Braywick Road, with roughly 100 volunteers cooking, registering the guests and taking care of them as they ate.

Mrs May arrived at 1pm

**SPEED READ:** A Christmas Day lunch for senior citizens was given some extra sparkle by the arrival of the Prime Minister. Theresa May has visited Maidenhead Churches Together's event every year since being elected MP for the town in 1997.

with her husband Philip, and chatted to guests sat at long tables before they ate their meals.

She said: "It is great to be here at this event again this year. It is simply a fantastic event. It is very important.

"They can come together to have a good time, and probably sing a song or two at some point."

Christmas films played on a projector in the SportsAble hall before Mrs May arrived, and she gave a short speech thanking volunteers and wishing all a Merry Christmas.

Guests were then served their traditional meal, accompanied by

live music.

Food was donated from a range of groups based in the area – the Rotary Club of Maidenhead Thames, the Lions Club of Maidenhead and the Advertiser, through its Cracker Appeal.

The lunch was organised by the former chairman of Churches Together in Maidenhead, Tony Weeks, 63, of Keble Road, who has planned this year's event since March.

Thanking the volunteers, he said: "They are doing something wonderful on Christmas Day.

"I think it is very important to do it because it gives people an opportunity to socialise and to

have a good meal."

Despite the name, the lunch is open to people of all faiths if they are at risk of loneliness at Christmas.

For some of the guests, their loved ones have passed away. For others, they are not able to get to their family, who could be living hundreds of miles away.

Many are known to the volunteers, having attended for several years.

Helen Wilson, of Crescent Dale, has volunteered to help with the day for 10 years, but this was the first time the 94-year-old was attending as a guest.

Her husband passed away about 20 years ago and she said she enjoyed coming along to have 'a natter'.

"Life gets very dreary," she said, adding nobody should be alone at Christmas.



SO MANY SPROUTS: Volunteers at the annual Christmas lunch with the food. Ref:127320-4



CRACKING GOOD TIME: The Prime Minister with Kim Burt. Ref:127320-



PREMIER VISIT: Theresa May (above) and (left) with husband Philip. Ref:127320-31/70

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**BISHAM:** An end-of-term party was held at Bisham Primary School as it celebrated being taken out of special measures. New headteacher Hayley Broad said she was proud of what the children and staff had achieved and was looking forward to its future. Ref:126143-5



**BURNHAM:** Live music, raffles, stalls and a funfair were highlights at the Burnham Village Fete. The event replaced the annual carnival which could not take place due to a lack of volunteers. Ref:126048-7



**OLD WINDSOR:** Battersea Dogs and Cats Home held a fun day at its Priest Hill centre, to raise awareness and much-needed funds. Ref:125987-3

# May takes over at No 10 post EU vote

ON paper it might have been July, but the seventh month of the year was really the month of May, as Maidenhead and Twyford's long serving MP took over as Britain's prime minister.



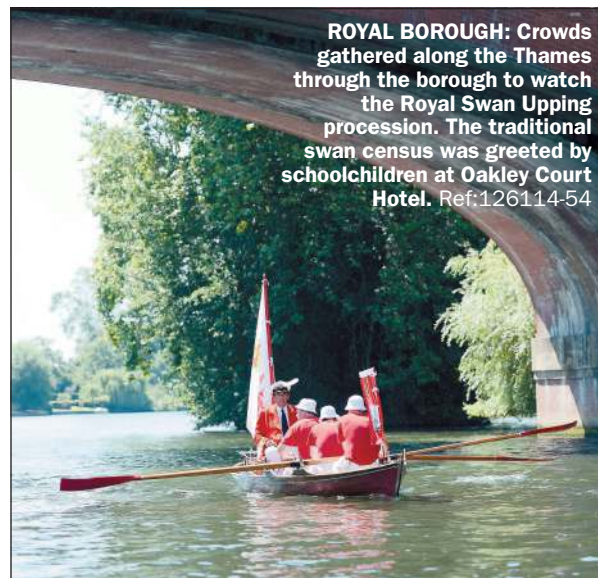
**MAIDENHEAD & TWYFORD:** After the final rival candidate withdrew from the race to become Britain's next prime minister, Theresa May MP was handed the keys to No 10. With the eyes of the world on her as she arrived in Downing Street, Mrs May, then 59, pledged to build a country that works for everyone. Ref:126077-138



**WINDSOR:** Record numbers attended the 111th Royal Windsor Rose and Horticultural Society Summer Show, which celebrated the best of British with competitive categories featuring a range of foods and flowers, as well as entertainment. Ref:126094-25



**MAIDENHEAD:** A weekend of fantastic family fun was enjoyed at Maidenhead Festival. Bands and performers entertained the crowds and there were stalls, funfair rides and even a beach in Kidwells Park. Ref:126159-68



**ROYAL BOROUGH:** Crowds gathered along the Thames through the borough to watch the Royal Swan Upping procession. The traditional swan census was greeted by schoolchildren at Oakley Court Hotel. Ref:126114-54

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